

METROPOLITAN COUNCIL ON HOUSING
5TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

ON THE

FREEDOM

... TO LIVE ANYWHERE

... IN DECENT HOUSING

... AT FAIR RENTS

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I plan to attend the FREEDOM CONFERENCE on Saturday, November 16, 1963.

We are sending _____ delegates to the FREEDOM CONFERENCE.

Payment for _____ registration(s) at \$1.00, and for _____ box lunches at \$1.00 each are herewith enclosed.

I (we) plan to participate in Panel I - II - III - IV. (Please circle the panel(s) in which you are interested.)

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Name (PLEASE PRINT)

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Panel I - URBAN RENEWAL
Freedom from Minority Reseal

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Extension from Minority Reseal
Action for Integrated Communities

Chairman: Rev. Arthur Simon,
Chairman, Tompkins Square
Housing Council

Speakers: Thomas J. Hardick, Chairman,
Cooper Square Community
Development Committee

Robert Curvin, Chairman,
Newark C O R E

Hon. John Lindsay,
U.S. Congressman

Reporter: Frances Golda, Chairman,
Legislative Committee,
Metropolitan Council on Housing

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Panel II - PUBLIC HOUSING
Eighty for Public Housing Funds
Build 500,000 Apartments NOW!

Chairman: Jacob Folsome, Senior Manager,
New York City Housing Authority

Speakers: Nath Belmont, Chairman,
Tenants Committee, RHA
(University-Edgewater
Neighborhood Association)

Jorge Rodriguez, Chairman,
Tenants Association,
Carter Houses

Hon. Leonard Farbstein,
U.S. Congressman

Reporter: Robert Hines, Jr.,
1st Vice-Chairman,
Metropolitan Council

Discrimination takes many forms. Today the fight against it is being conducted on many fronts--for jobs, housing, education, and the right to vote.

Particularly acute in New York City is the problem of discrimination in housing. Although it affects the Negro and Puerto Rican people first and hardest, it hits us all--those in low-wage brackets, those on fixed incomes, and even middle-income families squeezed between the housing shortage and spiraling rents.

Therefore, in a very real sense, the subject matter of this Conference concerns us all.

P R O G R A M

9:30 - 10:15 - Registration
Coffee and Danish Pastry
Metropolitan Council Exhibits

10:15 - 10:20 - Welcome to Delegates
- Stanley Aronson,
National Representative,
Organized Clothing Workers
- Conference Chairman

10:20 - 10:45 - Keynote Address
Oliver Lewis, Chairman,
Brooklyn C O R E

11:00 - 1:45* Panel Discussions

2:00 - 4:30 Plenary Session
- Jose Benedict, Chairman
Voting on Resolutions
Adjournment

* Box lunches are available on order,
and will be delivered to each Panel,
so that there may be more time for
discussion.

Panel III - CODE ENFORCEMENT
Extension from Building Violations
Action for Code Enforcement

Chairman: Helen Barils,

Chairman, Bronx Council
on Rents and Housing

Speakers: Granville Cherry,
Baron Education Project
Richard L. Lavenex,
2d Vice-Chairman,
Metropolitan Council

Hon. Theodore Weiss,
New York City Comptroller

Reporter: Hy Bernhard, Chairman,
Tenant Welfare Committee,
Parkway-Stuyvesant Community
Council

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Panel IV - ACCION PARA
VIVIENDAS URGENTES

President: Mario Abreu,

Organizador, Distrito 65

Ordinors: Victoria Cirilo, Presidenta,
Tompkins Square Site Tenants

José Fuentes, Presidente,
Casa de la Comunidad,
Asociación de Inquilinos

William Stanley, Presidente,
Comité de las Inquilinas,
Barrio Alto

Hon. Frank Torres,

Asambleista, Estado de N.Y.

Reporters: Será anunciado